

THE BUTTE OFFICE

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BUTTE RAILWAY GUIDE.

MONTANA UNION.		
	Leave.	Arrive.
Helena Express.....	8:40 a.m.	12:40 p.m.
Montana Union Express.....	9:30 a.m.	10:30 p.m.
Northern Pacific Express.....	10:15 a.m.	4:10 p.m.
Anaconda Express.....	11:20 a.m.	10:20 a.m.
Anaconda Express.....	5:40 p.m.	2:50 p.m.
Anaconda Express.....	6:15 p.m.	7:45 p.m.
Union Pacific Fast Mail.....	7:30 p.m.	2:30 p.m.
Dillon Local.....	7:50 a.m.	6:50 p.m.
MONTANA CENTRAL.		
	Arrive.	Leave.
*St. Paul Express.....	6:30 p.m.	7:45 a.m.
Helena Accommodation.....	11:40 a.m.	8:40 p.m.
CLOSING AND ARRIVAL OF MAIL.		
	Arrive.	Leave.
Mail for California and the Southern States.....	6:40 p.m.	1:30 a.m.
Mail for East via M. C. Ry.....	7:30 p.m.	2:30 p.m.
Mail for West via M. C. Ry.....	7:30 p.m.	8:15 p.m.

BUTTE CURRENT NOTES.

Miss Cora Young has returned from the East.

Mayor Robert Thomas of Pipestone is in the city.

B. H. Langley of the Montana Central is over from Helena.

Thomas Cooney of the Northern Pacific land department is in town.

County Commissioner McQuerry will go East shortly upon a business trip.

Nick O'Brien is able to be out again, greatly to the gratification of his friends.

Fred Ritchie will probably open the Columbia gardens on Miners' Union day, June 13th.

Ed. Mace, general agent for the Union Pacific, left yesterday for a trip to Helena, Great Falls and Fort Benton.

Joe Quail of the Miner will leave for New York on Thursday, where he will represent the special bureau of that paper.

The ladies of the Congregational church will hold a bazaar at the church on Thursday and Friday evenings. Ice cream will be served.

Another surveying party of a dozen or more men will start today on the work of making the survey for the new railroad to Anaconda.

The Jersey Blue company has paid \$22,980, closing the indebtedness against the mine. A hoisting plant has been received from Chicago, costing \$15,000.

Elsie, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Body of Walker, died yesterday. The funeral will be held from the family residence at 2 p. m. today.

Conductor Nelson has four beautiful game chickens which were imported from the Fee Joe islands on exhibition in the window of the Brunswick saloon on East Broadway. They are birds.

John Caplice and B. D. Walsh will go East today. Mr. Walsh will spend two months in Chicago, St. Louis and New York. Mr. Caplice will go to New York and return in about three weeks.

The ladies of the Baptist church are making arrangements to furnish an elegant dinner and ice cream and strawberry lunch at the Pavilion rink on West Grand street. Decoration day, from 12 noon till 10 p. m. Proceeds will go toward fund for repainting the church.

Undertaker Sherman has received a letter from an undertaker at Boston Highlands requesting him to ship to that place the body of the young man who was killed by the cars at Silver Bow about 18 months ago. The young man is buried here as an unknown. He had a companion with him who knew his name, but he suddenly left these parts, presumably for the reason that he had been in some scrape in the East and did not care to let his identity be known.

PREPARING TO MOVE.

The Fire Department Boys will occupy New Quarters.

BUTTE, May 26.—Today the firemen of the Quartz street fire house have been busy polishing up the hook and ladder truck and getting it ready to take down to the new city hall. It will be moved either tomorrow or Thursday. Captain O'Malley of the Quartz street house will move to the city hall with his crew in charge of the hose cart. Only one hose cart and the spider will be left at the Quartz street house.

Chief Murray is working hard to secure quarters somewhere for the volunteer firemen. If the old city hall is sold, the firemen are likely to be left out in the cold. The boys have \$500 worth of books, cases and books, and also have a starter for a gymnasium. Ex-Chief Thomas of the Brigade today presented the fire boys a horizontal bar and other gymnasium material left over from the brigade house. He was heartily thanked in a neat speech by Captain O'Malley.

Mineral Locations.

BUTTE, May 26.—Notices of location were filed with the county clerk and recorder today as follows:

The Little Chance lode, Little Pine district, by L. J. Morgan and J. L. Robbins.

The Little Chance lode, Little Pine district, by Mordecai Lehou and others.

The Green lode, Little Pine district, by William Lehou and James Kirby.

The Kirby lode, Divide creek district, by Frank Kirby, James Kirby, William Kirby and William Lehou.

The Apex mine, Little Pine district, by L. T. Morgan, John Green and W. L. Robbins.

SONS OF ST. GEORGE.

Incorporation Papers of Peace and Harmony Lodge Filed.

BUTTE, May 26.—The incorporation papers of Peace and Harmony lodge, Sons of St. George, were filed with County Clerk Booth today. The period of existence of the corporation is to be 23 years. Thomas Sturridge, Joel Vignus and T. D. Hind are to conduct the business until the next annual election.

In the Police Court.

BUTTE, May 26.—In the police court today, L. F. Schmitz, arrested for fighting, paid a fine of \$5 and costs for fighting in the Combination. The case against Paul Jones was dismissed. Nellie Lee was fined \$5 and costs for being a vagrant and paid the fine. Harry Brady was fined the same for disturbance and was committed. Harry Mitchell for vagrancy was fined \$5 and costs for being a vagrant and gave notice of appeal.

Smokers of the celebrated and original "Cuban Blossoms" will in future find every cigar and every box branded "L. Lillie." All others are counterfeit. L. Lillie, 1,232 Second avenue, New York.

WILL REDUCE THE COST

What the New Electric Light Company Proposes to Do.

THE COUNCIL WILL MEET

Matters of Importance to be Considered by the City Solons—Bids for Street Lighting.

BUTTE, May 26.—There will probably be a special meeting of the city council tomorrow night for the purpose of considering the means of raising money to pay what is due on the city hall and to consider other matters that may be brought to the attention of the council. Among the other matters, that of electric lighting will probably be brought up. At least the representatives of the Rocky Mountain Electric Light company are anxious to be heard on the matter.

The subject of the controversy was outlined in the STANDARD this morning, and a good many people in town think it the duty of the city to take advantage of all competition in city lighting, so that money may be thus saved to the city. At present the light committee has decided to advertise for bids for one year's lighting. The council will be asked to have this changed to three or five years, on the ground that much better terms can be made the city on a bid for three or four years than on a bid for one year.

Three years ago there was one electric light company in Butte, and the city was furnished with 26 lights at an average cost of \$14.77 per light. A new electric company entered the field, but instead of the result being an advantage to the city, it was a disadvantage, the companies putting in bids that were precisely the same—\$17.50 per light for 26 lights. The city now pays \$16.65 for 44 lights, each company furnishing one-half the lights.

"We can save the city \$1,000 per year by merely being allowed to bid," said S. W. Graves, secretary of the new company, today. "We can save the city \$6,000 in five years, over the present prices. Why should not the city save this amount? All the city will have to do in order to save the taxpayers of Butte several thousand dollars is to make the bids for one, three and five years, or one and three years, or three years only. We will not bid on a one year contract, but we will make a very advantageous bid to the city on a term of three years."

The other two companies are practically one company and as no competition exists between them, there is nothing to prevent their charging \$25 per light for the city lighting if they so desire.

"Now it is argued that the city has more poles and wires than it ought to have, and it will not have any more by letting our company in. If we are the successful bidder for the city lighting, we will either buy the poles of the other companies used for city lighting, provided they will sell, or the poles can be cut down as being no longer of service. If we don't get the contract, there will be no more poles than at present, and our entrance into the field will have had the effect just the same of lessening the cost of lighting the city. As far as our house service is concerned, we propose to use underground wires."

"Another argument that is advanced is that all we want is to frighten the other companies and get them to buy us out. If that was our object we would be ready to bid on one year just the same as on three years. But we have no such intention. We want to enter the field for the purpose of course of making money and all we ask is a fair chance to bid."

"It is argued by the other companies that there is no money in lighting the city even at the present rates. We believe there is money in it and we are so confident of it that we are ready to let the city have much better rates than it has at present, and we can still make money at it. If the other companies do not make money, it is because of bad management and not because there is no money in the business."

"You must remember that the cost of electrical supplies and apparatus is about 40 per cent. less than when the first company was formed and some 25 per cent. less than when the second company was organized. It would be to the decided advantage of the city to invite all the companies possible and let it advertise in electrical journals for a term of years it would doubtless bring half a dozen bidders into the field."

"As to whether we are in a position to furnish lights as desired in the bid, and if that was our object, it is a sufficient answer that we are ready to put up a bond as large as any other company can put up."

IN THE DISTRICT COURT.

Cases Called and Considered in Department I.

BUTTE, May 26.—The case of Lee W. Foster & Co. vs. Frank Bevin, to recover \$267.95 for goods sold and delivered, has been appealed to the district court.

The Davidson Grocery company have begun suit in Department I. of the district court to recover \$83.21 from Michael McArthur for goods sold.

J. V. Long, A. J. Barrett and C. H. Eltinge, the jury commission for Department I. met today and drew the names of 300 men to serve as jurors for the day term of court.

In Judge Pemberton's court today the case of N. M. Nixon vs. James W. McLean was continued without day. In the case of H. J. Blume vs. F. McRoe the judgment of the justice's court of \$29 was affirmed. The case of Frank Boncher et al. was continued without day on account of the death of Oslas Demosier, one of the plaintiffs.

BUCKED THE TIGER.

Money Which He Won Taken by His Partner.

BUTTE, May 26.—James O'Donnell bucked the tiger last night. When he went home to his cabin on Mercury he had \$105. Thomas White went along with him. When O'Donnell got up this morning he found that the cash had been taken from his pockets while he slumbered. White was asleep and O'Donnell suspected that he had taken the money. So he informed Officer Cantwell, who arrested White and the money was found in his possession. He says O'Donnell was drunk and he took the money to keep until his friend became sober. White was given 24 hours to plead to grand larceny and was placed under \$250 bonds.

Reception to the Ladies.

BUTTE, May 26.—A reception will be given to the ladies friends of the Silver Bow club tomorrow afternoon. Madam Deletram and her orchestra will be present and render a fine programme.

King Wanted Shoo.

BUTTE, May 26.—Thomas King was arrested by Deputy Constable this afternoon. He is charged with petit larceny in stealing a pair of shoes.

Buy flowers for Decoration day of Mrs. W. J. Crittenden. Leave orders at Gordon's news stand or 641 West Park street.

"CAP." WYMAN WAS THERE.

He Unfolds a Tale of the Fertile Flathead Valley.

BUTTE, May 26.—Capt. L. F. Wyman, deputy internal revenue collector, returned to-night from a 10-day trip in the Flathead country. The genial captain was bearded like a padre, and had a complexion like the hind of a smoked ham.

"I've had a great trip," said he to a STANDARD reporter, "that is truly a land of promise. The people here have no conception of the great activity up there. Everything is going ahead with a rush. Demersville is today a town of at least 1,500 people. Some of these, of course, are only temporary residents of the place. In the town of Kalispell there are more than 100 buildings already and new ones are being put up every day. Kalispell is about three miles from Demersville and two miles north from Ashcroft. It already contains about 75 buildings. Enormous crowds are going in on every boat. The new boat on the Flathead lake is a dandy. It is called the Crescent and is 125 feet long, 25 feet wide, has 12 staterooms and a dining room for 40 persons. She has a tonnage of 150 tons and is a very trim craft, manned and managed by men who know their business."

"The saloon interests predominate in that country. In Demersville there are 40 saloons in active operation, in Kalispell there are 15, in Ashley 2 and in Columbia Falls 12, all within a radius of 25 miles."

"I am very enthusiastic over the prospects of the Flathead country. The coal banks at the mouth of the valley from Demersville are marvellously rich. They are owned by J. E. Gaylord, John A. Davis, Ben Tibbey, Jim Falbot and Frank Langford. I understand these coal fields will be extensively worked in the very near future."

"Real estate is high in the towns, and yet sales are being made with marvelous rapidity. When the boat comes in at Demersville there are 500 people always on the dock ready to receive you. They are not real estate agents, but a good many of them are, and will button-hole you and talk corner lots into your ear until you can't rest. Most of the property now being sold is from second hands."

There is talk of the Northern Pacific building a road from Ashcroft to Columbia Falls. A. B. Hammond, the Missoula merchant, also told me that a road is projected from Jocko, on the Indian reservation, to Demersville, a distance of about 50 miles. Hammond is in this scheme, in company with other men who have plenty of means to build it if they take a notion."

"That country is over-run with men from Butte and this part of Montana. The crops look well and promise a very abundant harvest. I am greatly pleased with the town of Columbia Falls. This will be a good business town some day soon. The affairs of the new city are in the keeping of Frank Langford, one of the brightest young business men in Montana. Though only 25 years old, he is a good deal of a man, by his ability and integrity, amassed a very comfortable fortune. He will make a big stake out of Columbia Falls."

WANTED THE EARTH.

He Got It Without Money and Without Price.

BUTTE, May 26.—A. C. Hollenbeck was tried in Judge Muldoon's court this afternoon for stealing the earth that Dr. J. L. Tam claims to own. Recently Dr. Tam bought a fine lot across Missoula gulch, paying \$1,000 for it. The other day Joe Whately wanted his front yard graded and filled and paid Mr. Hollenbeck for the job. Mr. Hollenbeck cast covetous glances at the dirt on Dr. Tam's lot and the more he looked the more he thought that dirt was just the dirt he wanted. At last he was no longer able to resist and began to cart Dr. Tam's lot over to Joe Whately's lot.

When Dr. Tam discovered what was being done with the earth he paid \$1,000 for it, he was with him. He went straightway to a justice of the peace and swore out a complaint for Mr. Hollenbeck's arrest. The trial took place this afternoon before a jury of Mr. Hollenbeck's peers. The fact of the stealing of the dirt was admitted, but it was argued that after the dirt was discovered, Mr. Hollenbeck had offered to pay Dr. Tam \$10 for his earth. This proposition was indignantly refused by Dr. Tam, who, however, offered to compromise for \$25.

The jury rendered a verdict declaring the defendant guilty. The county thus becomes the chief sufferer in the case. Notice of appeal was given.

ALL CAN BATHE.

A Large Plunge Bath Will Soon Be Built.

BUTTE, May 26.—George Savage of Anaconda is in Butte, trying to arrange for the building of a magnificent plunge bath and natatorium here. He proposes to build one of the largest and best places of this kind in the country. He said: "If I can get the encouragement which I hope for, I will put in a plant that will cost not less than \$5,500 or \$60,000. There is room for such a building in this city and I am sure it would pay well after being built. I will put up a building 60x100 feet. In this there will be Turkish baths, with tubs and every modern convenience. Several prominent men in this city were seen by Mrs. Savage today and said they would lend the scheme a helping hand. Contractor McSphery is one of those who is interested in the move. Architect J. R. Roberts has been entrusted with the preparation of the building plans, and they will be completed in a few days."

An option has been secured upon several desirable places suitable for a site for such a building. One of these is located near the Montana Union depot. It has been suggested by some interested that the Natatorium be built near the new building of the athletic club. It is thought that such a scheme would be a feasible and profitable one. The new club does not seem, however, to possess any remarkable amount of vitality.

Meeting of Stockholders.

A meeting of stockholders of the Green Copper Mining company will be held on Saturday, May 30, 1891, at 2 o'clock p. m. in Fr. Feike's place on Utah avenue, Butte. Purpose, settlement of accounts.

Ered. C. Anderson, President. Fred Feike's, Secretary.

Vags in Limbo.

BUTTE, May 26.—Judge McMurphy today fined George Prinz, Harry Gey and Ed Jones \$10 each for vagrancy. Not being able to pay they were sent below. John Trainer, alias "Spike Tom," another vag, was given 24 hours to leave the city.

\$250 Reward.

A reward of \$250 will be paid to any person who will furnish the undersigned any information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons that shall tamper or in any manner interfere with the proper working of the Gaynor fire alarm plant in the city of Butte.

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WANTS A FEW MILLION

Patrick Largey Begins a Large-Sized Lawsuit.

THE PLAINTIFF'S COMPLAINT

The Blue Bird Mining Company Made Defendants—Pay Wanted for Ore Removed.

BUTTE, May 26.—Patrick A. Largey began a suit of considerable magnitude in Department I. of the district court today. He demands judgment against the Blue Bird Mining company for the sum of \$1,800,000. Mr. Largey's complaint sets forth that he is owner of one-half of the Little Darling quartz lode and one-fourth of the Lena K. quartz lode. His co-tenants in the Little Darling lode prior to the 8th of March, 1891, have been James A. Murray, George H. Tong and the grantee of Tong, Lulu F. Largey. The defendant, it is alleged, has not and never had any right, title or interest in the premises, or any part thereof prior to March 8, 1891. Further the complaint says: "That while the plaintiff was the owner and in possession and entitled to the possession of the said property, as aforesaid, the said defendant, without the consent of plaintiff, or any of his co-tenants, and without any right to do so, and with force and arms, did secretly and fraudulently, on or about the 1st day of October, 1887, and on different and sundry times since said date, up to the said 8th day of March, 1891, break and enter into and upon said property, by and through underground workings, made by defendant, and did mine, extract and carry away and convert to its own use, large quantities of valuable ores and minerals therefrom, and more particularly from said Little Darling lode claim; and plaintiff did not discover that defendant was so fraudulently removing such ores until about the 1st day of March, 1891, of which sum the one-half, to-wit, the sum of \$1,200,000, belongs to plaintiff, and that plaintiff has thereby sustained damages in the sum of \$1,250,000; that the defendant mined, extracted and carried away ores and minerals from the Lena K. lode claim, during the said period, prior to the 8th day of March, 1891, of the value, as plaintiff alleges on information and belief, of the sum of \$60,000, of which sum one-fourth thereof, to-wit, the sum of \$15,000 is the share of and belongs to the plaintiff, and thereby the plaintiff by reason of the said taking and carrying away of said ores, has sustained damages in the sum of \$15,000."

The plaintiff further alleges that since the 6th day of March, 1888, George H. Tong and his grantee, Lulu F. Largey, has been the owners of an undivided one-fourth of the Little Darling lode, and the complaint goes on to show that they are entitled to \$625,000, which claim has been assigned to the plaintiff. F. T. McBride and T. C. Wallace are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Real Estate Transfers.

BUTTE, May 26.—The following transfers were recorded at the office of the county clerk since our last report:

The Montana Mortuary association to Miller & Morris, lot 2, block 2, Mt. Moriah cemetery..... \$ 15 00

John P. Murphy et al. to Michael Flannery, lot 18, block 3, Thornton addition, lot 1, block 3, Thornton addition..... 1,500 00

William J. Frost to Eugene Ring, Jr., lot 8, block 5, Stanley addition..... 350 00

Moah Armstrong and John James, lot 3, block 8, N. line lot..... 100 00

Moah Armstrong to Sarah Hamlyn, lot 2, block 6, N. line lot..... 100 00

R. M. Colburn et al. to William W. Mettchen, the west one-half of lot 2, block 3, Thornton addition..... 2,000 00

P. A. Largey et al. to Charles P. Wason et al., block 3, N. line lot addition..... 800 00

Mount Moriah Cemetery to A. H. Barrett, lot 12, block A, Mount Moriah Cemetery..... 10 00

L. L. Grissin wants one first-class barber at Granite, Montana.

Early Filled by Lytle.

BUTTE, May 26.—Officer Lytle this afternoon arrested Frank Early on a charge of using a deadly weapon. The complainant is Frenchy the bootblack. The two men had a fight and Early cut Frenchy's hand with a butcher knife.

Your inspection of our fine stock of seasonable millinery is respectfully invited. Straw work of any style desired a specialty, and stamping of every description executed with promptness and at low prices. Edith Rogers, No. 8 South Montana street, opposite Caplice block.

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